KOLAR DISTRICT.

Proceedings of the Local Fund Committee of the Kolar district at a Meeting held at Kolar on Saturday the 16th January 1897.

PRESENT.

A. Rangaswamaiengar, Esq., B. A., B. L., Deputy Commissioner and President.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. V. Arnachella Mudaliar, Officiating Executive Engineer.
„ K. S. Dorasawmy Iyer, in charge Chikballapur sub-division.
„ Abdul Aziz, Extra Assistant Commissioner in charge General Assistant Commissioner's office.
„ C. Rajaram Rao, Assistant Surgeon, Kolar.
„ S. Krishna Iyer, Amildar of Kolar.
Mr. P. R. Venkatsubbiah, Amildar of Mulbagal.
„ V. N. Gopal Rao, Amildar of Malur.
„ Yello Srinivasa Rao, Amildar of Chintamani.
„ S. Srinivasa Rao, Amildar of Sidlaghatta.
„ K. G. Shamanna, Amildar of Bagepalli.
„ J. Srinivasa Rao, Amildar of Goribidnur.

Non-Official Members.

Mr. Lakshman Rao of Sidlaghatta.
„ Javali Subba Sastri of Chikballapur.
„ Ramalingappa Naikaru, Pallegar of Gummanaikanpalya, Bagepalli taluk.
Mr. Kallahalli Ramegauda of Kolar taluk.
„ Konapalli Baira Reddi of Chintamani taluk.
„ Nangali Vittal Rao of Mulbagal taluk.

ABSENT.

Ex-Officio Members.

Mr. T. Chokkanna, Amildar of Bowringpet taluk.
Mr. C. Narayana Rao, Amildar of Chikballapur.

Non-Official Member.

Mr. Hongenahalli Venkatramaniah of Malur taluk.

I. The undermentioned papers were read and recorded.

1. Proceedings of the last meeting, dated 31st August 1896.
2. Government Proceedings No. 5854-5—L. F. 89-95, dated 23rd November 1896, approving of the excess amount of contribution towards the cost of the establishment, maintained in the Dewan's office as recently revised, being met out of the provision under the head "C. X. Miscellaneous" in the current year's budget.
3. Government Proceedings No. 7810-11—L. F. 173-92, dated 9th January 1897, approving of the Deputy Commissioner's proposal to debit to the head "X. Miscellaneous, Unforeseen expenses" in the current year's budget, the District Fund quota of the increase of pay (Rs. 5) sanctioned to the hospital servants at Bowringpet.
4. Government Proceedings No. 6627-8—L. F. 23-96, dated 9th December 1896, sanctioning a lump sum appropriation of Rs. 24,219 out of the current year's budget for works falling within the Deputy Commissioner's powers of sanction.
5. Government Proceedings No. 5493-5—L. F. 104-96, dated 13th November 1896, sanctioning the payment from District Funds of a sum of Rs. 150, being a moiety of the amount spent for repairing the Keelkota tank at Kolar.
6. Government Proceedings No. 5360-2—L. F. 434-92, dated 10th November 1896, approving of the Deputy Commissioner's proposal to appropriate out of the current year's budget a sum of Rs. 1,000 towards the payment of the District Fund contribution of Rs. 2,475 for the construction of a building for the female dispensary at Kolar.
7. Government Proceedings No. 3442-43—L. F. 337-92, dated 9th September 1896, approving of the pay of the Srinivaspur midwife for April and May 1896 being met from the general savings of the current year's budget.
8. Government Proceedings No. 6220-30—L. F. 119-96, dated 30th November 1896, requesting the Presidents of Municipal and District Fund Boards to see that all transfers from one minor head to another under the same major head which the Boards are competent to sanction are invariably communicated to the Comptroller.
9. Government Proceedings No. 5876-85—L. F. 112-95, dated 23rd November 1896, sanctioning an increased provision of Rs. 60 per annum to meet the cost of feeding inpatients in each Local Fund dispensary.
10. Government Proceedings No. 944-69—6214-39, dated 26th November 1896, directing that the Sanitary Engineer's duties be restricted to major projects of importance strictly sanitary.
11. Government Proceedings No. 3009-10—L. F. 60-96, dated 31st August 1896, sanctioning the appropriation of Rs. 4,434-5-3 from Local Funds General on account of the incomplete works of last year.
12. Government Proceedings No. 6761-5—L. F. 89-96, dated 12th December 1896, sanctioning a revised District Fund budget for 1896-97.
13. Government Proceedings No. 4—D., dated 13th November 1896, sanctioning Rs. 11,050 for this district from Local Funds General for expenditure during 1896-97 on drinking-water wells, ponds, &c., and on village sanitation.
14. Government Proceedings No. 4843-50—L. F. 42-92, dated 22nd October 1896, calling for additional information in regard to the proposal to increase the pay of the dandies and other servants attached to 3rd class travellers' bangalos and musafirkhanas.

15. Statement of receipts and expenditure for July 1896.

II. Read Government Proceedings No. 6931-9—L.F. 379-92, dated 15th December 1896, enquiring what establishments are now employed to supervise works in municipal towns and whether in the event of the proposed establishments for the supervision of Municipal and Local Fund works being sanctioned the existing municipal agency can be abolished.

Resolved that Government be informed that there is no separate agency for carrying out and supervising works in municipalities and that one Supervisor will be sufficient for attending to both Municipal and Local Fund works in each taluk.

III. Read Senior Surgeon's docket No. 1507, dated the 2nd December 1896, forwarding for disposal a petition from the waterman of Gudibanda dispensary praying for an increase of pay.

Resolved that the waterman's pay be recommended to be raised from Rs. 2 to Rs. 5 per mensem on condition of his devoting his whole time to the duties of the dispensary and its compound.

IV. Read Executive Engineer's docket No. 444, dated 24th December 1896, requesting payment of the District Fund quota of the estimated cost (Rs. 108) of converting the rear verandah of the dispensary at Mulbagal into a room for the use of Gosha and native ladies.

Resolved that the contribution for the work in question be paid out of the sum of Rs. 1,029 provided under "X. Miscellaneous, Unforeseen expenses" in the current year's budget.

V. Read the proposal of the Dasara Representative members of the Bowringpet, Goribidnur and Bagepalli taluks for the execution of the undermentioned works, *viz.*:—

1. Construction of the tunnel and a road-dam, the former near Budikota where the road is crossed by the Markandeya River and the latter near Bowringpet where it is intersected by a stream.
2. Branch roads to connect the railway stations at Thondebhavi and Goribidnur.
3. A bridge across the Chitravati at Bagepalli.

Resolved that the works referred to in the 1st para are costly and not urgently required; that a reference be made to the Executive Engineer as regards para 2 especially as to a road connecting Manchenahalli with Thondebhavi, and that as regards para 3 a bridge across Chitravati would probably cost about Rs. 40,000 or Rs. 50,000 and that it would be sufficient if a cause-way could be made at a cost of about Rs. 2,000 or Rs. 3,000 and that the opinion of the Executive Engineer should be invited in the matter.

VI. Read the Executive Engineer's letter bringing to notice that the actual costs of repairing damages to the Kilkota tank at Kolar amounted to Rs. 343, the estimate sanctioned for the purpose being Rs. 300, chargeable in equal proportions to the Municipal and District Funds, and proposing that a moiety of the excess of Rs. 43 may be met from the provision made under "C. X. Miscellaneous, Unforeseen expenses" in the current year's District Fund budget.

Resolved that Government be requested to sanction the proposed payment.

VII. Read the Executive Engineer's application for a re-appropriation of the budget grants to the extent of Rs. 12,500, the same being required for keeping up the progress of the Chintamani-Chelur road and the Goribidnur-Maddagiri road.

Resolved that a re-appropriation statement for Rs. 12,500 be submitted to Government for sanction explaining the sources from which the amount may be made available.

VIII. Read correspondence ending with the Deputy Commissioner's docket No. 352—255, dated 19th July 1895, in regard to the proposed establishment of toll gates on certain roads in the district.

Resolved that Government be moved with a view to their being pleased to accord early sanction to the Board's proposal to enable it to supplement its income and carry out important works of public utility.

IX. *Resolved* that budget estimates of receipts and expenditure for 1897-98 comprising the undermentioned major items be fixed at Rs. 77,220 and Rs. 94,193, respectively, and submitted to Government for sanction, with the remark that the provision for public works to be executed by the Revenue Department is very small and may have to be increased later on after the closing balance at the end of the current official year is ascertained.

I. RECEIPTS.

		Rs.
1.	Probable balance on 1st July 1897	36,278
	Estimates for 1897-98.	
2.	76 per cent of local cess	72,000
3.	Sale of stray cattle	600
4.	Fines for cattle trespass	4,000
5.	Ferry collections	..
6.	Tolls	..
7.	Fees from 3rd class travellers' bangalos	120
8.	Private contributions	200
9.	Grants-in-aid	..
10.	Miscellaneous	300
	Total ..	77,220
	Total Assets ..	1,13,498

II. EXPENDITURE.

		Rs.
A. *Public Works to be executed by Public Works Department.*—		
1. Original works		9,000
2. Repairs		28,457
3. Establishments		7,700
4. Tools and plant		500
5. Reserve		6,543
Total A	..	52,200
B. *Public Works to be executed by Revenue Officers.*—		
1. Original works		10,150
2. Repairs		1,200
3. Establishments, temporary, at 10 per cent of the estimated amount.		1,135
4. Tools and plant		53
5. Reserve		900
Total B	..	13,438
C. *Civil Charges.*—		
1. Office establishments including Dewan's and Comptroller's office establishments		891
2. Medical scholarships		340
3. Hospitals and dispensaries		5,382
4. Midwives		1,290
5. Sweepers and care-takers for 3rd class travellers' bangalos and musafirkhanas, &c.		3,339
6. Conservancy and sanitary charges (includes a provision of Rs. 2,500 to remedy the insanitary condition of some of the large and populous villages by the employment of temporary sweepers, &c., and of Rs. 6,000 for the extirpation of prickly-pear which is of a thick growth in the district).		10,668
7. Vaccination		116
8. Refunds		..
9. Contribution		3,000
10. Miscellaneous		3,529
Total C	..	28,555
Total A, B and C	..	94,193
Closing Balance	..	19,305
Grand Total	..	1,13,498

A. RANGASWAMAIENGAR, *Dy. Comr., & President.*

KADUR DISTRICT.

Proceedings of the District Fund Board Meeting convened on Tuesday the 19th January 1897.

PRESENT.

T. Weir, Esq., President.

Ex-Officio Members.

1. Mr. D. Runga Rao, Executive Engineer.
2. Dr. A. S. Fernandes, M. D., Civil Surgeon.
3. Mr. B. J. Kumarswami Naik, General Assistant Commissioner.
4. Mr. C. Narasinga Rao, Amildar, Mudgere.
5. Mr. B. Ramaswamiah, Amildar of Chikmagalur.
6. Mr. N. Subba Rao, Amildar of Koppa.
7. Mr. T. Venkataramiah, Deputy Amildar, Yedahalli (was also present).

Non-Official Members.

8. Mr. G. R. Oliver, Santaveri.
9. Mr. P. Ranganna, Kadur taluk.
10. Mr. M. Ganesha Rao, Mudgere taluk.
11. Mr. Chennakeshaviah, Koppa taluk.

ABSENT.

12. Mr. T. K. Sundararajiengar, Amildar, Kadur.
13. Mr. N. Subba Rao, Amildar, Tarikere.
14. Mr. B. Gundappa, Inamdar and Pleader, Chikmagalur.
15. Mr. Kuppuswami Pille, Tarikere taluk.